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## GRAND JURY REPORT.

To The Honorable Geo. S. Brown, Judge of the Fourth Judicial District, County of Lincoln, State of Nevada.

We, the Grand Jury, empaneled at the May term of the district Court in and for Lincoln County, beg leave to submit this our final report and asked to be discharged from further attendance on this court.

State of Nevada vs. W. D. Carleton—Forgery.

State vs Robert Shafer—Assault with intent to kill with a deadly weapon.

State vs Geo. O. Sawyer—Felony State vs H. J. Goodrich—Felony State vs A. O. Devitt—Felony State vs A. O. Devitt—Felony State vs Peter Morrissey—Felony State vs Peter Morrissey—Felony State vs S. G. Neal—Embezzlement.

State vs S. G. Neal—Embezzlement.

The Grand Jury recommends that the District Attorney investigate the complaint of Chas. Clay against Justice of peace McElwain of Searchlight.

Attached hereto we submit the reports of the various committees of this Grand Jury which are made a part of this our final report.

Respectfully submitted

J. I. Earl

Foreman of the Grand Jury

We the Committee on County Roads find the county Roads in bad condition in different parts of the County and especially along the Meadow Valley Wash.

This committee recommends that the County Commissioners appropriate enough money to make the roads passable for teams.

We recommend the plan of only paying orders on the O. K. of the appraisers and recommend that appraisers be appointed only on petition of the voters of the Road District where appointed.

W. A. Liston

H. B. Mills

W. H. Edwards

We, the committee on Public Buildings find the Court House and offices in good condition and find the surroundings are being put into repairs. We find that the jail is ill ventilated and we recommend that the County Commissioners provide and make it as comfortable as possible for the men who are placed there, as the jail in its present condition is not a fit place to keep a human being.

A. W. Geer

W. A. Liston

Peter Buol

We, the undersigned members of the grand Jury duly appointed by the Foreman to examine and report the conditions of the Sheriff's office hereby submit the following report. That we have carefully examined the books in the Sheriff's office and find that for all money received in said office the Sheriff holds the receipt of County Treasurer and that the books are being duly balanced on the first of every month. This report covers the period from Sept. 1st 1905 to May 1, 1906 and we further find that the office is in very good business order and entirely satisfactory.

J. A. Denton

A. W. Geer

Chris N. Brown

We the Committee appointed to examine and enquire into the State of affairs of the Indigent Fund find that the amount paid out of the Indigent Fund for the care and support of the indigents of the County since Sept. 1st 1905 until May 1st 1906 was \$1820.55 and that we believe said money was expended in a just and judicious manner as far as we know.

David Francis

J. L. Allen

C. W. Roeden

We, the committee appointed to examine the books of the vari-

ous County officers beg to submit the following report. We have examined the books of the Treasurer, Recorder and Auditor, and Sheriff and find the accounts in each of these offices to be correct and the books being kept in a careful and businesslike manner also that the new system of book keeping recommended by Mr. Moore expert accountant is being followed and is a marked improvement over the old system.

C. C. Ronnow

E. Bunker Jr.

Ben Cowan

R. J. Pace

H. H. Church

The undersigned, your Committee appointed to consider public morals of the County of Lincoln State of Nevada, respectfully state that it is within our personal cognizance, and it has been made to appear to this Committee, that the conditions existing in the various unincorporated towns of the County of Lincoln are deplorable. That saloons and saloon-keepers in some of said towns in the County of Lincoln openly and notoriously harbor and keep in and upon their premises, during both the day and night time, common prostitutes who then and there ply their trade in the open daylight and solicit the unfortunates in the presence of women and children.

We find that no heed whatever is paid to the Act of the Legislature providing that houses of ill fame shall not be established within four hundred yards of any public School House or Church in any town within the State of Nevada, and that officers heretofore and now have closed their eyes to such conduct, and have taken no step whatever to remove the same and punish the offenders.

We also beg to call attention to the fact that idle and dissolute persons, with no known means of support are also harbored and kept by certain houses in various unincorporated towns in this County, for the purpose of assisting in the profits of the owners of these establishments and to solicit trade and patronage for the unfortunate occupants attached thereto.

We therefore respectfully urge and demand that the District Attorney of the County of Lincoln and the Sheriff of the County of Lincoln, take immediate steps to prosecute all offenders under the laws of the State of Nevada, and to immediately cause the removal of any prostitute or prostitutes who ply their vocation within four hundred yards of any Public School House and Churches in said County, and that the person or persons who rent, or hire to any such prostitute or prostitutes any building or buildings for unlawful use, as afore said, be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

We also find that, throughout the said County, the law in relation to minor entering and frequently saloons and gambling houses has been in some instances, and we regret to say to many, violated and entirely ignored. We therefore call the attention of all Peace Officers to this deplorable condition, and demand that in future the law in regard hereto be strictly enforced.

Respectfully submitted

J. A. Denton

A. W. Geer

H. B. Mills

Last Saturday afternoon two ranchers named Casey and Bryan living at Mill Station, north of Carson, got into a fight over the right to drive stock over the other's land. In the mixup Bryan slashed Casey across the abdomen, letting his entrails out. Casey, however, took the knife away from Bryan and hit him over the head with it, knocking him out. Casey's wounds are mortal.

Thos. Madden, a blacksmith in jail at Reno for drunkenness, dropped dead Wednesday.

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In the Fourth Judicial District  
Court of the State of Nevada, in and for Lincoln County.

In the Matter of the Estate of  
Hong Bok, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Ong Chung Lung, Administrator of the estate of Hong Bok, deceased has filed in this Court a petition for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the parties by law entitled, together with his final account of said administration, and that Saturday the 26th day of May 1906, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Court Room of said Court, in the Town of Pioche, County of Lincoln, State of Nevada, has been set as the time and place for the hearing of said petition and the settling of said account, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are hereby notified to appear before said Court and then and there show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be settled and allowed, and why an order of distribution of the residue of said estate should not be made and the same distributed among the heirs of said deceased, according to law.

EUGENE GOODRICH,  
Clerk of said Court

Chas Lee Horsey,  
Attorney for Administrator.

First pub. May 4th 1906.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE COURT OF THE  
FOURTH JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT COUNTY OF  
LINCOLN, STATE OF  
NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Estate of  
Benjamin Roberti, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed administrator of the said estate of Benjamin Roberti, deceased, on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1905, by the Fourth Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Lincoln, and duly qualified before said Court as such administrator on the 2nd of April, A. D. 1905.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to file the same, with proper vouchers and statutory affidavits attached, with the Clerk of said Court, within forty days from the first publication of this notice.

Date of this Notice, April 21th, 1906.

JAMES LEMOINE,  
Administrator.

First Publication, dated May 4th 1906.

Chas Lee Horsey,  
Attorney for Administrator.

In a fight over a squaw at Reno last Sunday afternoon, a Mexican named Frank Norego had his head beaten into a jelly by another Mexican.

The Carson Appeal has passed to the management of Irwin Lewis formerly of the Los Angeles Times. Hereafter it will appear as an evening paper.

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